


**SUPPLEMENTAL RESPONSE UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.116**  
**EXPEDITED PROCEDURE**  
**EXAMINING GROUP 1646**

PATENT  
Attorney Docket No.: SALK2350  
(088802-5351)

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Application of: Gage et al.	Group Art Unit: 1646
Application No.: 09/421,971	Examiner: J. Murphy
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Further responsive to the Office Action mailed November 19, 2002 (Paper No. 15), and pursuant to the Advisory Action mailed July 28, 2003 (Paper No. 21) and the telephonic interview with the Examiner held on September 3, 2003, please consider the following amendments and remarks.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks** begin on page 6 of this paper.

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- ☒ Applicants claim Small Entity status.
- ☐ Small Entity statement is enclosed.
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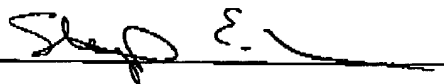
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